

REMARKS

1. Applicants respectfully submits that Applicants' have complied with 37 CFR 1.56(a) & (b) by the submission of an Information Disclosure Statement herewith, disclosing U.S. Application Serial No. 10/135,314 (later 10/374,075, now U.S. Patent No. 6,788,867) and U.S. Application Serial No. 10/686,697.

2. Please note that the instant application does disclose Georgia Tech Research Corporation as the assignee at Reel 015191, Frame 0480, which was recorded on April 9, 2004. U.S. Application Serial No. 10/686,697 also discloses Georgia Tech Research Corporation as the assignee at Reel 14980, Frame 0838, which was recorded on February 17, 2004. Applicant respectfully traverses this notation.

3. Withdrawal of Rejections

Applicants thank the Examiner for careful consideration of Applicants' amendments and arguments filed on January 27, 2005, and the withdrawal of the rejections based on the applied references over the cited references.

4. Double Patenting

Enclosed please find a Terminal Disclaimer based on U.S. Application Serial No. 10/686,697. Applicants respectfully assert that the Terminal Disclaimer obviates the provisional rejection based on the obviousness-type double patenting rejection over co-pending U.S.

Application Serial No. 10/686,697. Therefore, Applicants respectfully requests that the rejection of claims 1-7, 11, and 13, and the objection of claim 12 be withdrawn.

5. Applicants disclose that Georgia Tech Research Corporation owns U.S. Application Serial No. 10/862,759 and the instant application. The Assignment from the inventors to Georgia Tech Research Corporation was recorded on June 7, 2004 and is publicly available at Reel 015445, Frame 0092.

6. Cancellation of Claims

As suggested by the Examiner, Applicants have cancelled claims 14-31 in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.144.

CONCLUSION

In light of the foregoing amendments and for at least the reasons set forth above, Applicants respectfully submit that all rejections have been traversed, rendered moot, and/or accommodated, and that the now pending claims 1-7 and 11-13 are in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and allowance of the present application and all pending claims are hereby courteously requested. If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephone conference would expedite the examination of this matter, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned agent at (770) 933-9500.

Respectfully submitted,



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